### Winter Storm Information

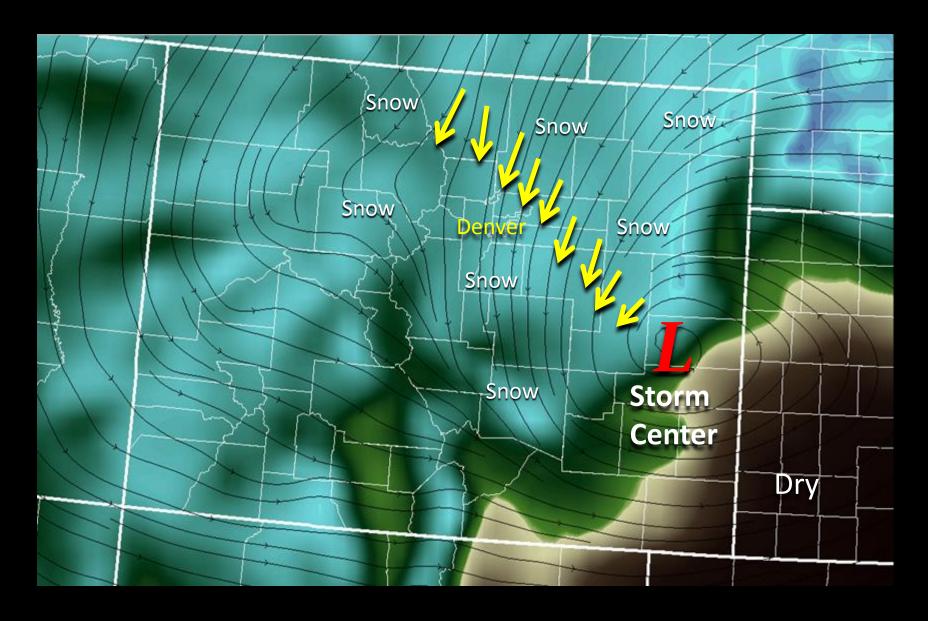
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Moderate to heavy snowfall fell overnight...beginning in most areas on the plains after 2 AM MST. Bands of moderate to heavy snowfall will continue to wrap around a deep low pressure tracking very slowly east-northeastward across northeast Colorado this morning. Snow will also continue to fall in the mountains and high valleys with additional accumulation expected by this afternoon. On the plains of northeast Colorado, another 2 to 6 inches of snow accumulation is likely by mid-afternoon today. Furthermore, Gusty north winds of 20 to 35 mph will produce areas of blowing and drifting snow on the plains creating hazardous driving conditions. Some roads may become impassable due to significant drifting.

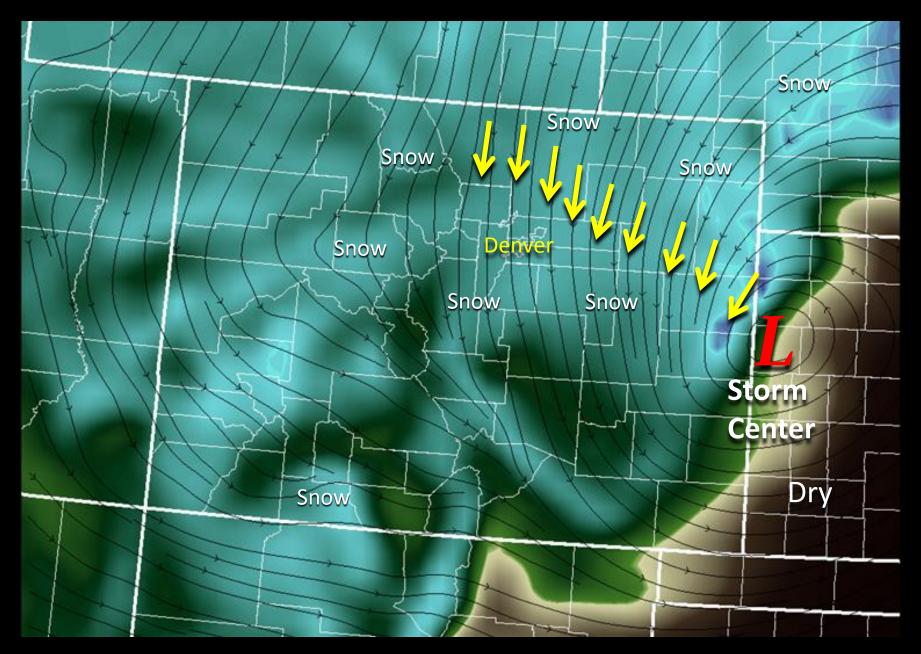




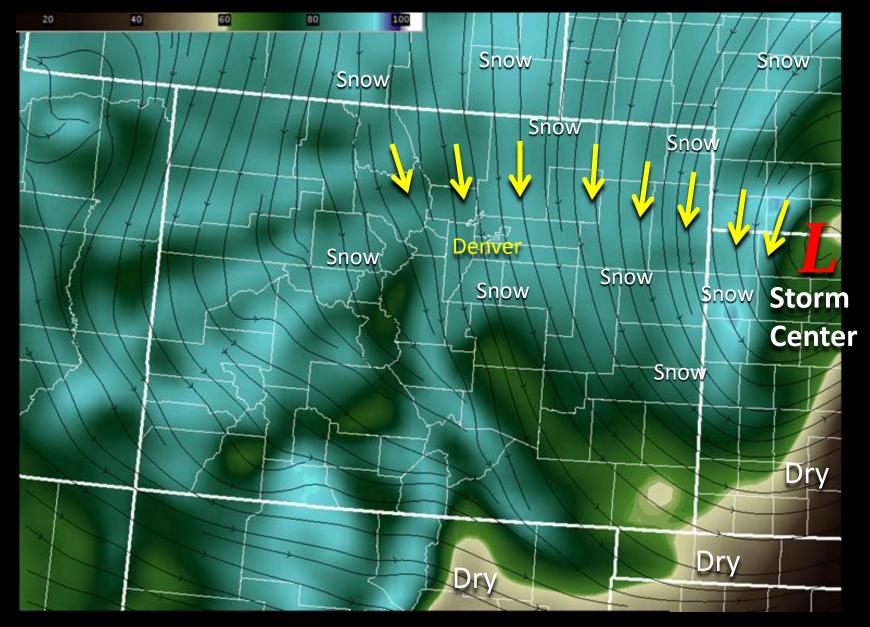




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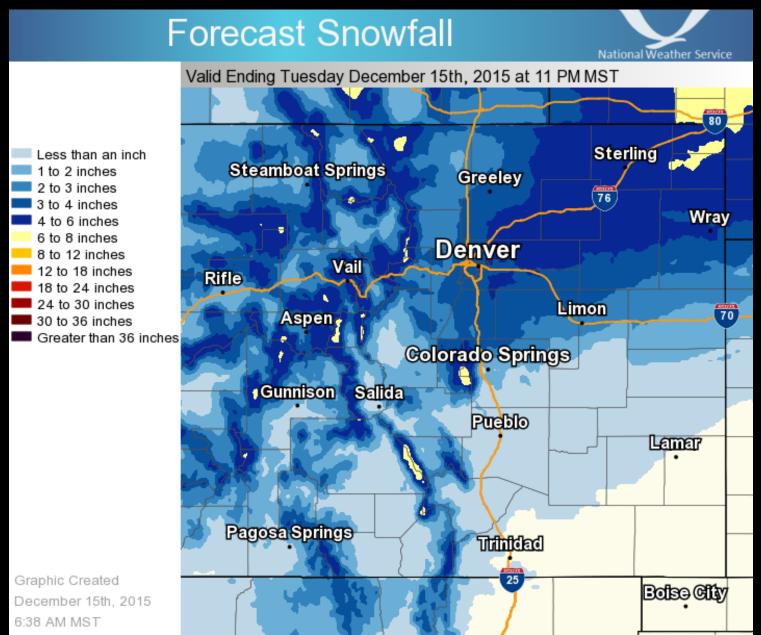


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#### **Additional Snow Amounts by 11 PM MST Today**



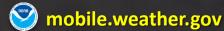
## **Key Points**

- Snow Timing:
  - Northern & Central Mountains and Valleys –
     Continued light snowfall through this evening
  - Foothills...I-25 Urban Corridor and Palmer Divide Light to moderate snowfall through mid-morning...tapering off the scattered light snowfall in the afternoon. Areas of blowing and drifting snow this morning
  - Eastern Plains periods of moderate to heavy snowfall this morning...light to moderate snowfall in the afternoon...tapering off in the evening. Areas of blowing and drifting snow.
- Main threats will be hazardous travel with low visibility in falling, blowing, and drifting snow. Some areas will experience heavy snowfall this morning.
- Worst conditions will be this morning.
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